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SUBJ: TECHNICAL SEMINAR: AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY

REF: A) STATE 228759; B) BUCHAREST 4951

1. ADVANCE OFFICER AND COORDINATOR FOR SUBJECT EVENT IS POMPILIU VERZARIU, BEWT/TAD, WHO IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN INITIAL VISITS TO ACTION POSTS MID-JANUARY 1975. TIMING PREDICATED ON AVAILABILITY PRINTED MATERIAL AS EXPLAINED BELOW. WE BELIEVE THAT THIS SOMEWHAT EARLIER THAN NORMAL SCHEDULE SHOULD ENHANCE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR MAXIMUM PARTICIPATION OF KEY AUTHORITIES IN AGRICULTURE OF HOST GOVERNMENTS.

2. FOR VIENNA EWTC: TO FACILITATE SMOOTH OPERATION IN TWO MAJOR ASPECTS THIS EVENT WE REQUEST YOUR ASSISTANCE IN ORDERING UNCLASSIFIED

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TRANSLATION AND PRINTING OF TECHNICAL ABSTRACTS AND PROMOTIONAL

BROCHURES PLUS USING THE TC AS A RENDEZVOUS. ENGLISH DRAFT VERSIONS OF THESE TWO BOOKLETS WILL BE DELIVERED TO THE TC DEC. 1, 1974 WHERE IT IS REQUESTED THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR THEIR COMPLETION IN THE LANGUAGES OF THE THREE HOST COUNTRIES IN SIX WEEKS FOR PICK UP BY THE ADVANCE OFFICER DURING THE SECOND WEEK OF JANUARY 1975. AVAILABILITY OF THESE DOCUMENTS SHOULD HELP IN ACHIEVING EARLIEST PROPER ATTENTION POINTED UP IN ITEM 1. FORMATS AND QUANTITY OF COPIES TO BE DISCUSSED LATER IN SEPARATE TELEGRAM.

3. REGARDING USE OF T.C. FACILITIES, WE FIND IT MOST CONVENIENT FOR SPEAKERS TO MEET IN VIENNA RATHER THAN WASHINGTON FOR THE BRIEFING AND SPEAKERS' DRESS REHEARSAL NOW REQUESTED FOR MARCH 14 AND 15 BEFORE DEPARTURE TO BUCHAREST. MINIMAL TIME WILL BE REQUIRED FOR BRIEFING THESE EXPERIENCED EASTERN EUROPEAN VISITORS AND MOST TIME WILL BE NEEDED FOR COMPLETE PRESENTATION PREVIEW ESSENTIAL TO AN OPTIMUM TIMED SEMINAR PRESENTATION. ADVANCE OFFICER/COORDINATOR AND CHAIRMAN CAN MANAGE ALL ACTIVITIES WITH ADVICE OF T.C. STAFF.

4. FOR BUCHAREST: WE RELUCTANT TO CHANGE PREVIOUSLS SELECTED PERIOD SHOWN REFTEL A AS WAS REQUESTED BUCHAREST 4951 AS PARTICIPANTS NOW FINALIZING THEIR PLANS BASED ON PREVIOUS SCHEDULE. TIME FRAME OF THIS SCHEDULE BASED ON AVOIDING CON-\*)8:5 WITH LIEPZIG FAIR MARCH 9-16, 1975, AND IN THE CASE OF BUCHAREST AVOIDING AN INTERFERENCE WITH WATER TREATMENT AND PURIFICATION SEMINAR SCHEDULED FOR EARLY FEBRUARY. WE CAN, HOWEVER, SCHEDULE BUCHAREST AS FIRST STOP WHICH IS ONLY ONE WEEK AFTER MAR. 10 DATE SELECTED BY DTY. MIN. STEFEN. HIGH CALIBER PRESENTATIONS OF THESE PRESTIGIOUS FIRMS SHOULD WARRANT ROMANIANS ACQUIESCENCE TO REVISED SCHEDULE SHOWN BELOW.

5. FOR ALL POSTS: PLEASE NOTE REVISED SCHEDULE FROM THAT PREVIOUSLY INDICATED ITEM 2 REFTEL A. SEMINAR TEAM NOW SCHEDULED IN VIENNA MAR. 14 AND 15; ETA BUCHAREST SATURDAY MAR. 15; ETA SOFIA THURSDAY MAR. 21 AND ETA BUDAPEST MAR. 26 FOR DEPARTURE ON MAR. 31. PLEASE RESERVE TWO BEDROOM SUITE FOR CHAIRMAN AND COORDINATOR PLUS TEN SINGLES FOR RESPECTIVE NIGHTS IN BEST HOTEL. KISSINGER

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